Lilac price list effective August 1, 1954

The Edw. J. Gardner Nursery Lilac Collection contains most of the finest varieties of FRENCH LILACS in existence. We say the finest, because these varieties are so listed by "Lilacs for America". Practically all our varieties are in the recommended list of that publication.

Listed herein are 218 varieties, most of them Vulgaris and French Hybrids. Also included are most of the fine new Canadian Early Lilacs and the exotic Late Lilacs. Many of the varieties we list are so new and rare that only few nurseries offer them.

OWN-ROOT Lilacs - Grafted Lilacs. Lilac plants grow and thrive best on their own roots; and we can offer most of the listed varieties as own-root. However, we also have a limited stock of plants grafted on Villosa, Japonica, or Ash roots. These plants are vigorous growers, most of them having already produced many of their own roots. If planted deeper than own-root plants, you have little trouble with suckers from the feeder roots, which in a course of time will become dormant or die out entirely.

To simplify matters, rather than publish prices for own-root and for grafted plants, all prices are based on grafted plants. If grafted plants are not wanted, state so on your order.

The "Code" column of the price list will tell you what we have to offer: "O" indicates own-root and "G" indicates grafted plants. offer: "O" indicates own-root and G indicates gratted plants "O-G" indicates we have both, and unless stated otherwise on your order, we will furnish grafted plants if the own-root stock has been

TERMS: Cash with order, or 50% Cash with order and balance C. O. D. All prices are F. O. B. Horicon, Wisconsin. No packing charge on orders of \$10.00 or more. Ask for special terms on orders amounting to \$500.00 or more.

VARIETIES NOT LISTED. We have not listed all the varieties we have in stock for various reasons. If, therefore, you wish to have a variety which is not listed, you might ask for it, as we may have it.

SIZES LISTED. We have very few smaller sizes than the two to three foot sizes. We do have a certain number and if you wish to have them rather than the two to three foot, specify on your order. If we can fill your order with the smaller sizes, they will also be priced accordingly.

INTRODUCING THE BEAUTIFUL NEW DOUBLE PINK LILAC

EDWARD J. GARDNER - Patent No. 1086.

This is the beautiful double pink lilac visitors so much admired during our lilac displays of the past few years. The buds are of a mauve pink shade that lightens as the flowers open. The blooms becoming a beautiful light pink that glows in the sunlight, making a striking effect and attracting everyones attention. The individual florets resemble a hyacinth floret in form and measure 7/8" across and are double. Two to three rows of petals appear to come from a single corolla. The inner petals are narrow and deeply channeled, outer petals broad and twisted. The bloom panicles are large and loosely branching often showing five to eight separate spikes to the cluster. Years of proving this new lilac have shown us beyond all doubt that the flowers do not fade to a dubious pinkish white after they have been opened a couple of days. As a cut flower, the keepthey have been opened a couple of days. As a cut flower, the keeping qualities are very good and the blooms are quite fragrant. The plant is a strong and rapid grower. To our knowledge this is the finest double, true-pink lilac.

2' - 2-1/2' \$7.00 each 3' - 4'\$10.00 each

(D = double,	S =	single)	0 or G	SIZE	IN FEE	<u>T</u>	5-up
Adelaide Dunbar	D.	Reddish Purple	0	4.00	5.00	6.00	7.00
Alice Eastwood		Pinkish	G	4.00	4.50	5.00	6.00
Allison Grey	S	Violet	0_G	4.00	5.00	6.00	7.00
Ambassadeur	S.	Blue-Large	0	4.00	5.00	6.00	7.00
Ami Schott	D:	Deep Blue	0	5.00	6.00		
Ann Shiach	S.	Deep Purple	0	5.00	6.00	7.00	8.00
Belle De Nancy	D.	Lilac Pink	0	3.00	4.00	4.50	2025
Bleautre Boule Azuree	2.	Blue	O G	c 00	3.75	4.50	
Blue Hyacinth	20	Bluish Blue	0_G	6,00	6.00	7.00	8.00
Gandeur	S.	White	G	5.00	6.00	7.00	0.00
Capitaine Baltet	S.	Rosy Purple	0	5.00	6.00	7.00	
Capitaine Perrault	D.	Pinkish	G	5.00	6:00	7.00	
Carley	S:	White	G	5.00	6.00	7.00	ON B
Champlain	D.	Violet	0-G	6.00	7.00		
Chas. Baltet	D:	Lilac	0	6.00	7:00	8:00	
Chas. Joly	D.	Reddish Purple	0	3:00	3.50	4.50	5.50
Chas. X	SI	Reddish Purnle	0	2.50	3.00	3.50	5.00
Chinensis Alba	S	White	0	4.2.1	LUBER!		
Chinensis Rothomagensis	D	Furple		2:50	3.50	E 00	0:00
Christophe Colomb	0.0	Blue Lilac Near Red	0	3.50	4:00	5.00	6:00
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Crepuscule Dawn	2	Blue	0	6.00	7.00	7:00	8:00
Dawn Decaisne	S.	Lilac Light Blue	0	3.00			
De Minibel	S.	Light Blue Deepest Violet	0	5:00	6.00	7.00	8.00
Desfontaines		Magenta	O .	4:00	5.00	6.00	7.00
Desversifolia Nouveau	S.	Pinkish	0	4:00	for 8"	to 12	" plants
Diane	S.	Magenta	0	7:50			
Diplomate	S.	Blue	0	6.00	7.00		
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Eden	S.	Magenta	G	5.00	6.00	7.00	
Edmond About	D.	Magenta	G	5.00	6.00	7.00	E E0
Edmond Boissier	D.	Deep Purple	0	3.00	3.50	4.50	5.50
Edw. J. Gardner	D.	Pink True Pink	0	3.00	3.50 EE PAG	4.50 E ONE	5,50
Elihu Root	D.	Magenta	G	5.00	6.00	7.00	
Ellen Willmott		White	0	3.50		6.00	
Emile Gentil	D.	Bluish	G	6.00		8.00	
Ethel Dupont Firmament Frau William Pfitzer	S.	Purple	G	6:00		8.00	3" 11"
Firmament	S.	Sky Blue	O-G	5.00		7.00	8.00
Frau William Pfitzer	S.	Pinkish	G	4.00	5:00	6.00	7.00
Frad Parma	S:	Violet	0	6.00			
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Jeneral Altchener Jeneral Pershing Jeneral Sheridan General Sherman Georges Bellair Georges Claude	D.	Lilac Pink	0	3:00		5.00	6.00
Jeneral Sheridan	D.	White	0	3.00	3.50	4.50	5.50
General Sherman	D.	Blue	0_G	4.00		5.50	6:50
Georges Pellair	D.	Randlan rurple	N	3:00		4.50	6.00
Gilbert	S	Lilec Manager	0_G	4.00		6:00	Die Coll
Georges Claude Gilbert Glory Grace Heather	S.	Reddish Purple	0	5.00		7.00	8.00
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Heather	S.	White	G	5.00	6.00	104.7	
		DIAC		3.50	4.50	5.50	
Henri Robert	D.	Violet	0	5.00	6.00		
Henry Ward Deecher	D.	Lilac	0	6.00	7.00		Charles and a
Hippolyte Maringer Hugo De Vries	20	Deep Lilac	0	3.00	4.00	4.50	5.50
nugo De Vries	20	Readish Purple	0.0	6.00	7.00	7 00	0.00
J. De Messemaeker Jacques Calot	20	Lilea Pink	0-4	5.00	6.00 3.50	7.00	
Jacques Calot James Stuart Jan Van Tol Jane Day Jeanne D! Arc	S	Maganta	0	3.00	3.75	4.75	
Jan Van Tol	S	White	0	4.00	5.00	100	770 Cal
Jane Day	S.	Purple	G	1 SA I	5.00	6.00	
Jeanne D! Arc	D	White	0	3.00	4.00	174 616	
Jules Ferry Jules Simon	D.	Lilac Pink	0	3.00	3.75	4.75	
Jules Simon	D.	Bluish Lilac	0	3.00	3.50	4.50	
Juliance	S	Tillag & White	OG	6.00	7.00	8.00	
Kate Sessions	S.	Reddish Purple	G	5.00		7.00	
Katherine Havemeyer	D.	Lilac Pink	0	3.00		5.50	
Laciniata	5.	Dilac	0_G	4.00		6.00	
Laplace Bannag	D.	Furple	0	5.00	6:50	8.00	
Laura L. Barnes Le Notre	D:	Violat	0	6:50	7.50	-	
Leon Gambetta	D:	Lilac Purple Bluish Violet Lilac Pink	0	6.50		7.50	9.00
Leopold II	s:	Lilac Fink	0	6:00	5:00	1.50	3.00
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Lucie Baltet	S.	Pink	O	3.00	4.00	5.00	6.50
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Ludwig Spaeth		Deep Purple	0	3.00			
Macrostachya Marceau	0	Pale Pink	G	4.00	5.00		
Marechal Foch	9	Reddish Purple	0	5.00	6.00	7.00	
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Marechal Lannes Marengo Marie Finon Marie Legrave Massena Maureen Maurice Barres	S.	Lilar	0_G	5.00	6.00		
Marie Finon	S	White	0_G	5.00	6.00	1.	
Marie Legrave	S.	White	-0	3.00	3.50	4.50	6.00
Massena	S.	Reddish Purple	Ö	4.00	4.75	6.00	0,00
Maureen	S	Lilac	G	4.00	5.00	6.00	7.00
Maurice Barres	S.	Blue	G	6.00		0,00	
Microphylla Superba		Pinkish			5.00	6,00	
Milton	S	Purple	0	4,50	5.50	6.00	7.00
Mirabeau	S:	Pinkish Lilad	0	4,00	5,00	6.00	
Mme. Antoine Buchner	D:	Pink	0	4.00	5.00	6,00	
Mine. Casimir Perier	D:	White	0	3,00	5,75	4.50	5.50
Mme. Chas. Seuchet	S	Tripa Bilia	0-G	10:00	15:00		
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Mme. Felix Mme. Florent Stepman Mme. F. Morel Mme. Lemoine Monge	S	White	0	2150	3:50	4.50	5.50
Mme. F. Morel	Si	Magenta	0	4:00	5.00		
Mme. Lemoine	D.	White	Ö	3100	4.00	5:00	
Monge	3	Deep Purple	0	4.00	5.00	5.75	6.50
Monique Lemoine	Di	White	0000000	6100	7.00		
Montaigne	D	Fink	G	5100	6:00	7.00	
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Mns B S Walls	20	Dane Tara	G	4.00	5.00	6.00	
Mrs. B. S. Williams Mrs. Edward Harding	10 h	Deep Lilac Magenta	G G	4.00	5.00	6.00	
Mrs. Flanders	g.	Purple		5.00	6.00	7.00	
Mrs. John W. Davis	D	Magenta	0-G	5.00	6.00	7.00	1 1 1/
Mrs. Watson Webb	S.	Pinkish	0_G	4.00	5.50	7.00	8.00
Mrs. W. E. Marshall	s.	Deepest Purple	0	5.00	6.00	7.00	0,00
My Favorite	D.	Reddish Purple		5.00	6.00	7.00	8.00
Nancy Frick	S.	Pink	G	6.00	7.00		
Negro	S.	Deep Purple	0	4.00	5.00	6.00	7.00
Night	S.	Violet Purple	G	5.00	6,00		
Oliver De Serres	D.	Blue	0	3.00	4.00	5.00	6.00
Paul Hariot	D.	Violet Purple	0	3.00	4.00	5,00	6.00
Paul Thirion		Reddish Purple		5.00	6.00	7.50	/ _ i l
Perle Von Stuttgart	D	Rosy Purple	0	5.00	6.00	7.00	8.00
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Planchon	D.	Magenta	Ġ	5.00			
Potanini	2	Pink	0	7 50	5.00		c 00
Pres. Fallieres	D	Light Lilac	0	3.50	4.50	5.00	6.00
Pres. Grevy	7	Bluish Lilac Blue	0	4:00	4:00		6.00
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Priscilla	S	Maganta	0	5.00	6:00	7.00	8.00
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Reaumur	S	Magenta	G	5.00	6.00		
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Rochambeau	S.	Purple	G	5.00			
Rosace	D.	Pale Lilac	0	3.50	4.00	4.50	5.00
Rhum Von Horstenstein	S.	Magenta	0	3.00	3.50	4.00	
Rustica	D.	Pink	G	5.00	6.00		
Sarah Sands	S.	Deepest Purple	0	6.00	7.00		
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Sonia Colfax	S.	White	G	6.50			
Souv. d'Alice Harding	D.	White	O	6.00			
Stadtgartner Rothpletz	D.	rurple	G	5.00	6.00		
Thunberg	D.	Lilac	G	4.00	5.00		
Todmorden	20	Pinkish	G	5.00	6.00	-	0.00
Toussaint L'Ouverture	D.	Pinkick	O G	3.0.0	4.00		6.00
Vauban Vestale	S.	Pinkish White	0	4.00	5.00	6.00	6 00
		Light Lilac					6.00
Victor Lemoine Violetta	D.	Violet	G	4.00		6.00	
Virginite	D	Pink	0	0.00	7,00	8.00	6.50
Volcan	S	Pink Deep Purple	0			5.50	
Waldeck-Rosseau	D.	Lilac Pink	G		4.00		
White Swan	D:	White	G	6.00	7.00	0.00	0.00
William C. Barry			701	0.00	7.00		
Zulu	S.	Purple	0	6.00	- up 1	to 18"	
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THE EDW. J. GARDNER NURSERY PEONY COLLECTION contains many of the finest varieties. Especially so are the GARDNER HYBRIDS listed herein. These hybrids are absolutely new, having been introduced only to visitors to the nursery, resulting in the fact that the bulk of orders taken for peony plants are for our own hybrids. Without making excessive claims they are far superior to most of the known varieties. Before ordering peonies, be sure you have checked over our list of hybrids.

TERMS: Cash in full with order or 50% cash with order and balance J. O. D. No cancellations accepted after August 15 of the year. If plants are sent C. O. D. you pay the C. O. D. fees. Peonies are dug in September and the bulk of the shipments are made about the middle of the month. If peonies and lilacs are ordered, we will ship the peonies at the same time we ship the lilacs unless you specify otherwise. Lilacs are shipped in October. We do not pay transportation for lilacs tion for lilacs.

POSTAGE: We pay postage on peony orders of more than \$10.00. On orders of less than \$10.00, add \$.75 to cover our cost for postage and packing. We do not pay postage or other transportation costs for lilacs.

GUARANTEE: Complete instructions for planting are included with each shipment of peony plants. The plants we send to you are alive and healthy. As we have no control over them after they have left our nursery, we cannot assume responsibility for their subsequent growth.

Varieties are guaranteed to be true to name. If you receive a varishipped in error, we will replace it without charge upon receipt of reasonable proof of error. If you receive a variety

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PEONY GROUP I - Peonies in this group are all well known standard varieties.

COLOR NAME Doep Pink, Late Crimson & S ilver Anna Sass Augusto Dessert Baroness Schroeder White, late Chas. McKillip Rod Cornelia Shaylor Shell Pink White, late Bright Red Daphne David Harum Brilliant Red Felix Crousse Festive Maxima White, Early White Fink, Large Frances Willard Gloriana Silvery Pink Grandiflora Crimson Grover Cleveland H.L. Richardson Red, Late Clear Pink Hazel Kinney Instituteor Doriat Brt. Red, Tall White, Large Light Flosh John M. Good June Day Light Flosh Karl Rosenfield Dark Crimson Katherine Havemoyer Flesh Pink Kelways Quoen . Pink Rose Pink

Walter Faxon Winnifred Domme Scarlet

Soft Pink White & Salmon Salmon Pink

Lt. Cream, La Lorraine La Rosierie Late Cream White Pale Pink Lady Alex Duff Lady Kate Lake O'Silver Pink Late Rosy Red Milk Whito Shell Pink Le Cygne Lillian Gumm Longfellow Cherry Red Lora Doxheimer Crimson Water Lily White Marie Jacquin Marietta Sisson Rose Rose Pink Martha Bullock Mary Brand Red Milton Hill Salmon Pink Minnie Shaylor Semi-Dbl. - White Rose Pink Modeste Guerin Mons Jules Elié Mons M. Cahuzac Deep Pink Dark Garnet Mrs. Ed Harding Purc W. Mrs. Shaylor Force White Pure White Myrtle Gentry Blush White Nancy Dolman Pink, Late White White Reine Hortonse Lichard Carvel Light Pink Am. Bty. Rod Pink Pure White Sarah Bernhardt Shaylors Dream

Pink-Semi-Dbl.

Prices for above group one are as follows:

One Plant - \$2.50, 2 plants - \$2.25 each, 3 to 6 plants, ea. \$2.00 each, 7 to 25 plants - \$1.75 each, 26 plants and up-\$1.55

Sylvia Saunders

SPECIAL GROUP (No discounts apply)

Forn Leaf Peony (Tenuifolia) First to bloom, deep red.....\$7.50

Anamola - Red and Gold, early single, fine leaves.................5.00

Officinalis Rubra - Third of group to bloom early, Red.......5.00

PEONY GROUP II - Peonies in this group are the better of the standard varieties. Prices are slightly higher than for Group I.

The following are \$3.00 each

Alice Harding	Cream White	Miss Minneapolis	Palo Pink
Chorry Hill	Deep Red	Phillippe Riviore	Dark Red
Hansina Brand	Pink	Solange	Cream Coffee
Kolways Glorious	Cream White	Vict. Chat. Thierr	y Pink

The following are \$4.00 each

. B. Franklin	White	Mrs.	Doan	Funk	Fink
Jean Cooperman	Red				

The following are \$5.00 each

Flanche King	Deep Pink	Matilda Lewis	Red
Blazing Star	Red	Minuet	Bright Pink
H. P. Sass	Blush White	Mrs. B. Fontaine	Red
J. L. Crenshaw	Rod	Mrs. J.V. Edlune	White
Janes Oleson	Red	Nic Shaylor	Pink
Louis Juliet	Red	R. A. Napier	Pink

Discounts for above Group Two are as follows: Orders up to \$5.00, Net; \$6.00 to \$20.00, 5%; \$21.00 to \$50.00, 10%; \$51.00 up, 15%.

PEONY GROUP III - Single and Japanese peonics. Discounts as for II.

SINGLE PEONIES

King of England	Red	\$3.00
Krinkled White	White	5.00
L'Etincelante	Carmen	2.50
President Lincoln	Red	4.00

JAPANESE PEONIES

Amma-No-Sode	Pink & Yellow	3.50
Mikado	Red & Gold	2.50
Nippon Beauty	Red	3.50
	Pink	3.50
Prairie Afiro	Rose & Red	3.00
Tokio	Pink & Yollow	2.50

PEONY GROUP IV - GARDNER HYBRID PEONIES

MILDRED GARDNER - Deep Lilac Pink, Tall, Dependable\$5.00 JOHN GARDNER - Japanese type, Red and Rose and Gold4.00 GORDON KAVOLSKY - Soft Pink, Large Loose Blooms, Dwarf4.00 NO. 25 - Very large and deep blooms, blush pink with deeper	
pink center petals. Our finest hybrid25.00	
LARRIE GARDNER - Tall, Large White. Excellent cut4.00	
NO. 40 - Immense deep Rose, strong stems, Tall4.00	
FLORENCE GARDNER BOLIN - Bright Pink, red markings4.00	
THERESE GARDNER - Best Late White, Tint of Salmon5.00	
JESSIE GARDNER - Large White with tint of Cream4.00	
JOE HANRATTY - Large Rose Pink, Tall stems, showy15.00	
NO. 144 - Light Rod, Strong stems, showy	
PRISCILI MCDONOUGH - Large, bright Rose Pink.,	
NO. 173 - Bright Pink, Red markings, good cutting3.00	
NO. 201 - Large single, Rose Pink. Good in landscape E.	
No. 205 - Bright Rose Pink. Also good in landscape	
LEONE GARDNER HANRATTY - Glowing Red - Really Red	
GEORGE LEONHARD - Rose Pink. Finest of doubles	
ROBERTA GARDNER - Large Lilac Pink	
JACQUELIN HANRATTY - Red surpassing K. Rosenfield5.00	
PATRICIA HANRATTY - Japaneso, Huge, deep red blooms5.0	

Discounts for above Group Four are as follows: Orders up to \$10.00, # \$11.00 to \$25.00, 5%; \$26.00 to \$100.00, 7%; \$101.00 ur, 100.

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SPRING 1955 SUPPLEMENT TO ATTACHED 1954 LIST OF LILACS

ERRORS IN LIST: PRODICE - Listed as double; should be single.

PACKING CHARGE: Should be, no packing charge on orders of \$5.00 or more, instead of \$10.00 or more.

OMISSIONS: The variety ETNA was omitted. Prices are as #follows: \$5.00, \$6.00, \$7.00, and \$8.00. ETNA is a single deep purple 71,113c.

TEMPORARILY OUT OF STOCK: UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE, Coral, Ethel M. Wetster, Helca, Red Wine, Skinneri, Georges Claude, Julianae, Rusticature

UNTIL FALL, 1955: Ami Schott, Henri Robert, Jeanne D'Arc, Leon Gambetta, Mme. Chas. Seuchet, Mme. Felix, Mme. F. Morel, Mont Blanc, Sarah Sands.

UNTIL FALL, 1956: Alice Eastwood, Allison Grey, Candeur, Chinensis Alba, Crepuscle, Jan Van Tol, Marechal Lannes, Moonlight, Night, Souv. d' Alice Harding, Violetta, Volcan, White Swan, Zulu.

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